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APPLICANT : R. MICHAEL GROSS GROUP NO.: 3738

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FACE OF THE GLENOID CAVITY OF A SCAPULA

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Alexandria, VA 22313

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Patent and Trademark Office Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-5 and 8-16.

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Respectfully submitted,

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